TO HONOR THE DEAD

man and Elber Rice was chosen accestary. It was decided to cheseve the ordinary Memorial Day program. An address will be delivered in one of the hails in the morning and the cemeteries will be visited in the afternoon by representatives of the averal posts for the purpose of decorating the graves of deceased comrades, and the soldiser monument will be festioned and decorated with floral offerings. The school children will be invited to furnish flowers, as they did last year, and to go to the cometeries to assist in scattering their offerings there. Herestofore a brass hand has been employed on Memorial Day, but it was decided last night to have nothing but the regular army martial music this year.

A communication was received from the business committee of the Park congregational church inviting the grand army to attend services in that church on the Sunday preceding Memorial Day. A committee composed of Comrades Coffin and Alcott was appointed to inform the paster that the invitation will be accepted if the morning services will be set sport for them, as many of the old soldiers cannot turn out at night.

The following officers and committees were then appointed:

President of the Day—J. A. S. Veedler, Marshal—Dr. J. B. Griswoid.

Trensirer—C. P. Coffin.

Vice Presidents—B. A. Cotton, Watson Post; O. P. Huntley, Custer Post; Hiram Madden, Champlin Post; C. W. Dipple, Grand Rapide Post.

Committee comrades Judd, Alcott, Dipple and Aldrech.

to make wreaths for the decorations and to units with the G. A. R. in the general services. Each post will pay its individual expenses outside of the general expense. There will be a meeting of the above committees in E. A. Dapper's office next Tuesday night.

The funeral of Bro. Arthur Wood, past master of Grand River lodge, No. 34, F. & A. Masons, will be held at his residence on Thursday, April 27, 1863, at 2 o clock p. m. The members of the lodge and all master masons in good standing are requested to be present at the lodge room on Thursday at 1 o'clock

The annual meeting of the board of health was held yesterday afternoon and the annual report of the secretary was submitted and accepted. The report is a compiled statement of the births, deaths, contagious diseases and other valuable statistics.

Heyman & Company's employee and many of their frien is enjoyed a dancing party in the old score building adjoining the new establishment last evening. Between 300 and 400 persons were present and assisted in the fun.

Local trout fishers are gathering to-gether their paraphernalia preparatory to taking a run from the city next Sunday night. The season opens Monday morn-ing and fish stories will be on tap next

Adelbert L. Parks has retired from the firm of Parks & Pettit Bros., grovers, at the corner of Kent and Hastings streets. The business will be continued under the style of Pettit Bros.

Maurice Shanahan yesterday sent a written acceptance of the invitation to make an address before the pustors' conference. He named May 8 as the date he preferred.

A half interest in 106 acres of land near Fisk lake has been bought from Michael Daily of Bay City by William H. Vander Hayden of Ionia.

D. M. Amberg has purchased the block occupied by his liquor ators, cor-ner of Pearl and Campau streets. The consideration is \$25,000.

There was an increase in the bank clearings yesterday of \$36,751.43 over the corresponding day of last year on a business of \$56,473.26.

The funeral of Arthur Wood will be held from the residence on Thursday at

Shipments of the Gunn Folding Bed company have averaged one car a day for several weeks past.

John Ball park is reported as ready

The Good Templar building at Hack-ley park has reached the third story.

Not Responsible

As regards food adulteration, the for the acts of the manufacturer. If people want goods at cheap figures they must expect quality to correspond



come a few cents higher than other extracts in the market, but they contain no poisonous or hartful matter; their quality is the highest, their favor the faces.

Finch temple Juvenile Templars will hold a nightesp social in the McMullen block Thursday evening. A tiret-class entertainment will be given. Ice cream will be served.

Quite a number of the older residents of the city went out to Henry Smith's fruit farm yesterday to attend the horticultural society meeting.

Lily lodge Knights of Pythias will exemplify the third degree for Eureka lodge tonight.

Mile Randall and wife of Manistee are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Asa W. Mesch at No. 165 East Bridge Mrs. Daniel Smith of South Haven is visiting Patrolman and Mrs. H. D. Evans of No. 686 South Lafayette street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Culkins of Lake avenue have returned from their win-

C. A. Tracy of Fife Lake is visiting in

The christian workers of the West-minster church and society will meet in the chapel on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock to hear reports of the methods adopted and sacrifices made in the col-lection of funds for church purposes. Light refreshments will be served.

The regular meeting of the Women's Working society will be held at the Fountain Street baptist church at 2

St. Andrew's Reading circle of young women held a meeting last evening in St. Andrew's school hall on Sheldon

St. Paul's church bazar will open to-day in Custer Guard armory.

A case was tried before Court Com-missioner McGill yesterday in which Mary A. Morehouse secured a judgment for restitution of her farm in Sparta. Mrs. Morehouse is 77 years old and one year ago rented her farm to Thomas Longhurst, her brother. Mr. Longhurst was to care for her in payment for rent.
Mrs. Longhurst and Mrs. Morehouse
did not get along well together and the
latter left and began working for her
hoard. It was decided that it would be
had to give Mrs. Morehouse possession
so that a more perfect agreement could

Death of Mrs. Wilmot H. Blain. Sarah A. Blain, widow of Wilmot H. Blain, of Gaines township, died at her home yesterlay morning after a long illness. The deceased was born in Brooms county. N. Y., March 6, 1823, and located with her husband in Gaines township in 1846, on the farm on which Mr. and Mrs. Blain lived until their death. Mrs. Blain was well known to the pioneer residents of this city and county, and was a member of the Old Settlers' association.

Law Class of '91 Reunion Preparations are being made by the law class of '91, University of Michigan, for the first reunion, to be held in Chicago about July 3. It is expected to holdthe reunion and banquet in the Grand Pacific hotel, but the general committee on arrangements has issued a circular to the effect that a positive statement as to the place cannot be sent each member until June 1. From the indications received by the local committee a large portion of the class will be present.

Merry North End Folks,

A number of the women of the north part of the city gave a dancing party in A. O. H. hall last night which was an auspicious success. The floor of the ball was crowded with persons of all ages, who danced right merrily to the music of Squire's orchestra. Luncheon was served in one corner of the hall and the pariors and gallery were tilled with a sociable crowd all the evening.

Piret World's Pair Ticket. The first ticket to the world's fair from this city was sold by James S. Hawkins at the union depot yesterday morning. W. H. Barlowe advanced the \$8.10 and the ticket was No. 404. The anle was not so large yesterday, but it is expected that more will be sold today, as a number of persons from the city will attend the services in connection with the dedication of the Michigan

Had a Close Call.

John Turner, an attorney from Waynd, suddenly became unconscious last vening in the sheriff's office while wait-Turner case. His brother, Dr. H. J.
Turner, attributed it to heart failure.
He revived after a moment's uncon scieumess but was too weak to sit up for a considerable time.

Changes in G. R. I. Offices.

Several changes have been made in offices along the line of the southern division of the G. R. I. E. A. Wagner, formerly agent at Portland, Ind., has been transferred to Kalamazon. W. A. Nichela formerly of Winchester, will be agent at Portland, and F. G. Nichels has been appointed successor to W. A. Nich ois at Winchester.

Scarcity of Fish. There has been a great scarcity of fish in the local market for the last few days. The heavy winds have interfered with note and fishing vessels in the great lakes to such an extent that they could not be operated. Retail pures have not been affected by the disaster, but wholesale prices have materially of vapoed.

WHAT IT HAS COST

covering nearly 100 pages, in which he detailed the finances of the past year, showing the condition of the various funds and the money expended from

The mayor and clerk made ual reports as follows: Bonded Inde

516.90 for medicines. Accepted and ordered printed.

The report of the director of the poor showed that he had given orders for 5,157 cords of wood to be delivered: that he had given orders for goods outside the poor store amounting to \$2,983.56. He had paid \$1,847.36 for boarding patients at the benevolent homes.

The report of the board of health showed that it had cost \$4,811.21 to run the department for the year.

The report of the board of review showed that rolls aggregating \$533,980.74 had passed through its hands, and that rolls amounting to \$48,542.30 had not been contirmed, making a grand total of \$562,502.98 for special improvements.

ments.

The reports were accepted and referred to the proper committees. The council will meet in adjourned session Saturday night to hear the reports of the committees to whom the various re-

Golden Eagle Anniversary. Last night was celebrated the fourth anniversary of Red Cross castle, Knights of the Golden Eagle. The lodge-room on West Bridge street contained a large gathering, which witnessed the following

Call by Sir Knight Spancer, Opening ode by Sir Knights and broth History Red Cross Castle, by Past Grand Chief T. W. Teevin. Violin trie, by Master Lial Hosford, Roy Teevin and Mr. Hosford, First series of tableaux, Address by Grand Chief P. A. Vander-

Autress by Grand Chief F. A. Vanderveer.
Recitation, Marian Spencer.
Second series of tableaux.
Song by Sir Knight Kennedy.
Violin solo, Master Roy Teevin.
Instrumental music by Misses Bertha and
Clara Smith.
Song by Henry Smith.
Recitations by Sir Knight George Irwin.
by Miss H. Rapp, by Mrs. Wood.
Closing ode.

Forcuters Had a Banquet Last evening Court Kent, No. 441, In-dependent Order of Foresters, initiated several candidates into the order, and at

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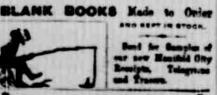
The one unfailing remedy is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. A woman discovered it and gave it to woman. Mrs. T. W. Lane, of Holyoke, Mass., tells what a comfort it is to write to a woman about her peculiar troubles, and have a woman read her letters and give

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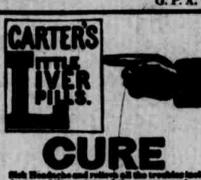
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